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Dear [redacted]

Thank you so much for your warm expressions of support. I need that kind of backing as I tackle this new assignment. It is going to be a challenge, but I am looking forward to it.

It was thoughtful of you to write, and I hope that we can see each other again when I'm next in Highland Park.

Yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Stansfield Turner".

STANSFIELD TURNER  
Admiral, U.S. Navy

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